

Tracy E. Thompson

June 7, 1964 - January 13, 2019

Tracy E. “Buck” Thompson, 54, of Bluffton passed away on Sunday evening, January 13, 2019, at his residence.

He was born on June 7, 1964 in Bluffton, Indiana to Kenny “Doc” E. & Roxanna M. “Wahoo” (Perry) Thompson. He graduated from Norwell High School with the class of 1982. As a young boy, he played baseball and softball, winning many trophies.

Buck was a truck driver for many years and enjoyed camping, boating and spending time outdoors along the river, looking for arrow heads with the grandchildren. He liked going to auctions and collecting antiques. Buck will always be remembered for his kind heart and sense of humor, and will truly be missed by many.

In 1986, Tracy and Lori K. (Brodbeck) were married. She preceded him in death on December 23, 2016.

Survivors include his mother Roxanna of Poneto, IN and daughters; Ashley Thompson of Fort Wayne, Amber Thompson, Kendra Thompson and Kristy Thompson all of Bluffton, Tara Disheaux of Fort Wayne, along with 12 grandchildren: Tristen & Bentley Markley, Grant & Colin Nunley, Aubrie Foss, Zach Jr., Alivia, Zavier and Aaliyah Chacon, Jane Azzara, Landon Lawhorn and Gianna Disheaux.

He is preceded in death by father, Kenny “Doc” Thompson in 2016.

A service to celebrate Buck’s life will be held at 4 P. M. on Saturday (January 26, 2019) at the Thoma/Rich, Lemler Funeral Home in Bluffton. Friends are

invited to visit with the family from 2 P.M. to 4 P.M. on Saturday, prior to the service.

Memorials may be made to help the family.

Funeral arrangements have been entrusted to the care of the Thoma/Rich, Lemler Funeral Home in Bluffton. Friends can send online condolences to the family at www.thomarich.com.

Cemetery Details

Grove Cemetery

5136 South 100 East
Bluffton, IN 46714

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 26. 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

Thoma/Rich, Lemler Funeral Home
308 West Washington Street
Bluffton, IN 46714
<http://www.thomarich.com>

Celebration of Life Service

JAN 26. 4:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Thoma/Rich, Lemler Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Tracy E. Thompson*



Thoma/Rich, Lemler Funeral Home - January 26, 2019 at 12:25 PM



“ *Tracy E. Thompson*

September 08, 2022 at 08:26 PM



“ *93 files added to the album Life Tributes*



Thoma/Rich, Lemler Funeral Home - January 25, 2019 at 08:29 AM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Tracy E. Thompson.*



January 23, 2019 at 09:13 PM



“ *Joyce Huss lit a candle in memory of Tracy E. Thompson*



Joyce Huss - January 22, 2019 at 08:57 AM



“ *Eddie. Ferguson lit a candle in memory of Tracy E. Thompson*



Eddie. Ferguson - January 22, 2019 at 12:56 AM



“ *Danny&April Bodenheimer sent a virtual gift in memory of Tracy E. Thompson*



Danny&April Bodenheimer - January 21, 2019 at 08:01 PM

RM

“ *Rose & James Marshall lit a candle in memory of Tracy E. Thompson*



Rose & james marshall - January 21, 2019 at 05:06 PM

DH

“ *Always had a smile when I would see him*



Deb Huffman - January 21, 2019 at 01:08 PM

 Lorrie Harper

“ *I remember when Tracy and Lori first got together many years ago! They came and lived with me! I will also miss him and Keith Snider always hanging out together from sixth grade on well that's as early as i remember it I'm sure they were friends long before that! You usually never seen one without the other! Love ya Buck! You will be missed terribly!*

Lorrie Harper - January 19, 2019 at 01:00 PM

 Lorrie Harper

“ *Lorrie Harper lit a candle in memory of Tracy E. Thompson*



Lorrie Harper - January 19, 2019 at 12:55 PM

KH

“ *Kimberly Hyde lit a candle in memory of Tracy E. Thompson*



Kimberly Hyde - January 19, 2019 at 09:29 AM

PG

“ *So sorry to hear about Tracy. It wasn't long ago I talked to him. Tracy always made me laugh and always had a story. Sadly b missed. My prayers are with all of you.*

Penny Gehrett - January 18, 2019 at 10:11 PM

JS

“ *John Schott lit a candle in memory of Tracy E. Thompson*



John Schott - January 18, 2019 at 06:51 PM

SM

“ *I have so many memories with Tracy and Lori. He has been my friend for years. I remember him at 8 years old. Tracy I will miss you dearly. We had good times.*

Susie Moon - January 18, 2019 at 06:03 PM

LS

“ I have so many memories of ur mom n dad.i cant remember how I met Tracy but I'm sure it was with Darrell.i met Lori the day she found out she was pregnant with the twins.i guess one of my best memories would b going to watch the fireworks n Huntington n how all u girls would lay down n the Suburban AKA the nerd herd,u girls hated it n was so embarrassed to ride n it n ur dad just luvd to embarrass all of u.the first time I went out with Darrell we went to the camp grounds where Buck n Lori was n when Darrell n I got married Tracy stood up with Darrell n signed our marriage certificate.There is so much I wanna so but don't Kno what to say.im so sorry u all have had to experience the things u have n I will forever b a family friend.i luv u all

Lora Schorey - January 18, 2019 at 01:16 PM

EH

“ Evelyn Hall lit a candle in memory of Tracy E. Thompson



Evelyn Hall - January 18, 2019 at 12:22 PM

MT

“ I know just how u girls feel when my Mom And Dad passed away keep ur self's busy.cause yes mom And Dad they r watching u all Aunt Annie all of you are very much loved Tracy seen me at Walmart one time and was telling everyone this is my cuz, took me all around the store we had so much fun with you. Love u Buck see u one day in heaven

Mary Jean Thompson - January 18, 2019 at 01:19 AM

BB

“ Sorry for your loss, I meet Tracy at Burlington Air Express along with another family member and a friend of his they would take me home and pick me up and take me to work. I just ran into him at Bluffton Street fair last year. It was the first time I'd seen him since we worked together. I introduced him to my oldest son Chris Barnes since he knew his dad Troy and they talked in the Moose and he introduced him to some of his friends too.

Becky Bogner - January 18, 2019 at 01:13 AM

MT

“ If you need anything girls, Aunt Annie u love to

Mary Jean Thompson - January 18, 2019 at 01:08 AM

DM

“ So sorry for your loss, Tracy was deep down a good man, I could see that when we talked. He was burdened and struggling, but I managed to tease a smile or laugh out of him every time. To those of us he left behind; may the good Lord help you find comfort in knowing that his struggle is over.
Praying for you all!



Denise (Thompson) Mosure - January 17, 2019 at 10:09 PM

RM

“ Rose & James Marshall lit a candle in memory of Tracy E. Thompson



Rose & James Marshall - January 17, 2019 at 09:31 PM

TI

“ RIP Tracy.



Tim Irwin - January 17, 2019 at 06:53 PM

MB

“ Marianne (Randall) Barnes lit a candle in memory of Tracy E. Thompson



Marianne (Randall) Barnes - January 17, 2019 at 05:48 PM

MB

“ My deepest sympathy to Annie and the girls. My heart breaks for all of you. Prayers of peace and comfort be with you. Good-bye Tracey, I hope you are at peace with Lori and your dad. Love to all

Marianne (Randall) Barnes - January 17, 2019 at 05:47 PM

 Tony Steiner

“ Tracy you were not only my best friend but my brother I will miss coming to town and visiting you. You will be grately missed by me brother rip give Steve a hug for me along with grandpa. Love ya bub.

Tony Steiner - January 17, 2019 at 04:34 PM

AT

“ I love you Daddy !!!!


Amber Thompson - January 17, 2019 at 02:49 PM

CP

“ Sorry to hear about your loss prayers for all the family



Cynthia M Parson - January 17, 2019 at 02:47 PM

 Adeline Wengerd

“ Adeline Wengerd lit a candle in memory of Tracy E. Thompson



Adeline Wengerd - January 16, 2019 at 11:05 PM

MS

“ Margaret Schwartz sent a virtual gift in memory of Tracy E. Thompson



Margaret Schwartz - January 16, 2019 at 10:50 PM

MS

“ Margaret Schwartz lit a candle in memory of Tracy E. Thompson



Margaret Schwartz - January 16, 2019 at 10:49 PM

HL

“ *Herb Lewis lit a candle in memory of Tracy E. Thompson*



Herb Lewis - January 16, 2019 at 08:18 PM

LB

“ *Tracy would go by my parents' house on his little scooter and always stop to talk to Dad or I if we were outside. Would tell jokes and go on his on way. Dad would still be laughing afterwards. Tracy will be sadly missed by me.*


Linda Bradley - January 16, 2019 at 12:45 PM

CA

“ *Connie Hughes Anderson lit a candle in memory of Tracy E. Thompson*



Connie Hughes Anderson - January 15, 2019 at 06:32 PM

 Daniel Shangle

“ *I miss you so much bro... It breaks my heart that the last time I seen you was when I brought you that massive plate on Thanksgiving.. I can't believe I can't talk to you anymore... You had the biggest heart and always seen the good in everyone. Ik you are in a better place now and not in all that pain. I'm sure your wife missed you too. Until we me again brother... I love you man... Condolences to Tracey's family I hope I can meet some of you.. Tracey ment a unreal amount of importance to me..* †

Daniel Shangle - January 15, 2019 at 03:46 PM



“ *Meri Blinn sent a virtual gift in memory of Tracy E. Thompson*



Meri Blinn - January 14, 2019 at 10:03 PM



*Prayers to the family!! RIP our Dear Friend!!
Larry Niblick and Meri Blinn*

Meri Blinn - January 14, 2019 at 10:06 PM



“ *Meri Blinn lit a candle in memory of Tracy E. Thompson*



Meri Blinn - January 14, 2019 at 10:02 PM



“ *CharlieThompson lit a candle in memory of Tracy E. Thompson*



CharlieThompson - January 14, 2019 at 01:35 PM



“ *Tracy, as a neighbor, you always had my back if I ever needed someone. You are no longer in pain my friend. Rest in Peace. Sending prayers to the family, you all have been through so much these last few years and my heart goes out to you.*

Beverly Steffen - January 14, 2019 at 10:46 AM

RH

So sorry to hear of my cousin Tracy's passing, sending prayers to the family

Rosalee Hockenberry - January 14, 2019 at 04:53 PM

BC

My deepest sympathy to Annie and the girls. My heart breaks for all of you. Prayers to the family.

Bill Coffield - January 19, 2019 at 12:19 AM